dred and seventy-seven souls, of which three thousand five hundred and thirty-nine are slaves, making in federal numbers sixteen thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

And whereas it is expedient, in order to avoid doubts and difficulties in the next elections, to declare at this time what is the apportionment of delegates to each county and city, under the

amended constitution—therefore,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That at the next election of Delegates to the Legislature of Maryland, the several counties and cities of this State, will be respectively entitled to elect the number of delegates as hereinafter mentioned; that is to say, St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert, Kent, Caroline, Talbot and Queen Anne's counties, will be entitled to elect three delegates each, Allegany, Harford, Montgomery, Prince George's, Cecil, Somerset, Dorchester and Worcester counties, will be entitled to elect four Delegates each, Washington, Frederick, Anne Arundel and Baltimore counties, and the city of Baltimore, will be entitled to elect five delegates each. And the city of Annapolis will be entitled to no delegate, but the said city of Annapolis will be included in and taken as part of Anne Arundel county, and vote in the election of delegates from said county.

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